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D. H. RIDDLE,

Of Goodwater, Candidate  
For Attorney Gen.

Communicated.

Born and reared on a farm in

Clay county, Ala., he worked his

way through school. He began

the practice of law at Goodwater

sixteen years ago with less than

\$5.00 and with three law books

and \$100 in debt. During the

past ten years he has won more

than twice as many lawsuits in

the Supreme court of Alabama as

both the other two candidates for

Attorney General. He has won

more than 58 per cent. He has

won more than 8 times as many

cases as Brickell, and Brickell has

won 42 cases to Brickell's 4.

Who will you vote for to repre-

sent the state, Riddle who has

won 49 or Brickell who has won 4?

He is endorsed by men in all

walks of life.

COMMENTS BY THE PRESS ON THE

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S RACE.

We notice a little of the old

aristocratic idea outcropping in

some of the political literature

now being circulated. For in-

stance in that of R. C. Brickell

for Attorney General we find this

expression: "He possesses many

of the traits and characteristics of

his distinguished father, who was

one of Alabama's ablest Chief

Justices." It would be much

more democratic for the young

man to stand on his own merits

like our candidate D. H. Riddle

is doing. "Grandfather's hat" is

worn out—and each tub should

stand on its own bottom. Father's

ability can't do the work for the

son and however much we may

revere the memory of the deceased

Chief Justice we must remem-

ber that the state wants the man

of the hour.—The Chronicle.

Mr. Riddle, like many of our

most successful men, came from

the farm, a poor boy and worked

his way up until he is now recog-

nized as one of the leading young

men of the state. The people

like to help a man who has the

energy and push to help himself.

—Sheffield Standard.

If the people of the State are

anxious in a desire for capable of-

ficials there is no reason why they

should not elect Hon. D. H.

Riddle to the office of Attorney

General.

TAX NOTICE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County.

To J. W. Bell, Beas 6.

The Tax Collector has filed in my

office a list of delinquent tax pay-

ers and of real estate upon which taxes

are due. You are reported as delin-

quent, and the following real estate

is reported as assessed to you, to-wit:

SW 1/4 of sec. 11, Tp. 4, R. 20.

This is to notify you to appear be-

fore the probate court of said county,

at the next term thereof, commencing

on Monday, May 9th, 1910,

then and there to show cause, if any

you have, why a decree for the sale of

said real estate should not be made for

the payment of the taxes assessed

against you, and fees and costs.

S. N. ROWE, Judge of Probate.

TAX NOTICE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County.

To Dock Keener, Beas 6.

The Tax Collector has filed in my

office a list of delinquent tax pay-

## Standing of Contestants

## City Drug Company

Prize Piano Contest, April 21st 1910.

Miss Estell Butts.....42480	Miss Olive Rainer.....22455
Mrs. Minnie Lee Thomas.....30380	Miss Rosie Lee O'Neal.....21580
Miss Odessa Parker.....35520	Miss Bonnie Plant.....21075
Miss Minnie Foley.....38910	Miss Joseph Pearce.....21075
Miss Glennie Rowe.....38535	Miss Gladys Stephens.....20550
Miss Grace Rubenstein.....29065	Miss Fannie Grimes.....20220
Miss Hilda Ross.....27300	Miss Lucy Brunson.....20070
Miss Alice Stark.....27380	Miss Georgia Lee.....20020
Miss Myrtle Sheley.....24930	Miss Lottie Harper.....19215

Our piano contest continues to hold the centre of the stage, and grows in popular favor with each passing day. It is recognized as a rare opportunity for some lady to get a fine instrument absolutely FREE. Ask about it, get in the running and win.

NOTE: Votes will be counted every ten days and standing of contestants will be published.

## City Drug Company,

### TAX NOTICE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County.

To J. W. Bell, Beas 6.

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office a list of delinquent tax pay-

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is reported as assessed to you, to-wit:

SW 1/4 of sec. 11, Tp. 4, R. 20.

This is to notify you to appear be-

fore the probate court of said county,

at the next term thereof, commencing

on Monday, May 9th, 1910,

then and there to show cause, if any

you have, why a decree for the sale of

said real estate should not be made for

the payment of the taxes assessed

against you, and fees and costs.

S. N. ROWE, Judge of Probate.

TAX NOTICE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County.

To Edward Adkinson, Sarah Alford, et al.

The Tax Collector has filed in my

office a list of delinquent tax pay-

ers and of real estate upon which taxes

are due. You are reported as delin-

quent, and the following real estate

is reported as assessed to you, to-wit:

One undivided two-thirds interest in

the following lands: The NW 1/4 of the

sec. 17, less 17.5 acres on the SW 1/4 of

the NW 1/4 of sec. 17, Tp. 4, R. 20.

This is to notify you to appear be-

fore the probate court of said county,

at the next term thereof, commencing

on Monday, May 16, 1910, at Elba.

then and there to show cause, if any

you have, why a decree for the sale of

said real estate should not be made for

the payment of the taxes assessed

against you, and fees and costs.

S. N. ROWE, Judge of Probate.

TAX NOTICE.

The State of Alabama, Coffee County.

To whom it may concern:

Take Notice that the tax collector has

filed in my office a list of delinquent tax

## DEPOSITORS

Like to feel that in bringing their business to a bank they are helping to build it up; in other words they are giving something for what they receive. We want you to feel that way towards us.

We are Growing,  
Grow With Us

We want your account—want to make ourselves useful to you in anything pertaining to finance—and we can handle it with profit to you and to ourselves.

## The First National Bank OF ELBA.

WE WANT YOU TO LOAN.

## Many Thousand Dollars

Many Thousand Dollars on Long Time and at Low Rates of Interest on Improved Farm Lands. My Company has done business fairly, honestly and with satisfaction to customers for many years. I have a very desirable contract, the best to be had. Bring your deeds.

J. A. Carnley,  
Attorney, Elba, Ala.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the  
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

### Locals-Personals

"Mound City Paints may cost a trifle more, but—!"  
Planto Trading Co.

1000 Matches for 5 Cents at  
Vaughn & Kendrick's.

Col. J. H. Adams, of Ozark, was here yesterday.

Hon. Felix Folmar, of Luverne, candidate for the State Senate, is here.

Mr. A. P. Hood of Knoxville, Tenn., and Mrs. J. Scott Paul, of Houston, Texas, are visiting Mr. Mrs. Kyle Price.

6000 Matches for 25 cents at  
Vaughn & Kendrick's.

Mr. H. J. Ellis visited relatives at Brantley the first of the week.

Mrs. M. C. Rowe is visiting relatives at Enterprise this week.

Tax Collector Folson is at Enterprise on official business this week.

WALK-OVER Shoes and slippers at  
Vaughn & Kendrick's.

JUST RECEIVED—A large shipment of the famous WALK-OVER shoes. All styles. Patent Vici, Gun Metal and tans in oxfords and shoes.  
Vaughn & Kendrick.

Watch our show



Cyrus B. Brown

Is a candidate for State office. He wants to be Secretary of State. For many years he has been a clerk at the capitol, although still a young man. He has always worked in those capacities where the labor is arduous and the pay small. As clerk in the House of Representatives his record stands out as remarkable and wonderful. Owing to negligence many clerks of law-making bodies cost their people thousands and hundreds of thousands of dollars on account of laws failing and being declared unconstitutional. Not a single law with which Brown had to do failed through his neglect. He took the pains to know how, and knowing how he did the job right.

Mr. Brown's work as chief clerk in the Secretary of State's office during the period in which the insurance laws and insurance administration were changed and during which the Code of Alabama was prepared and printed stands out prominently.

Though Mr. Brown is not of Montgomery county birth, the Executive Committee of Montgomery county some weeks ago passed resolutions declaring in strong terms that Mr. Brown deserves promotion, that he has made good, and that he ought to be made Secretary of State. This committee is composed of people who are familiar with the work at the capitol and who know what Mr. Brown is, what he can do and what he has done. They think Brown ought to be made Secretary of State because he can serve the state better than any other man in the state. He ought to be nominated on May 2nd, and we believe he will be.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**  
For children's safe, sure. No opiates.

## Get In Line With the Wise Crowd

Patronize the Mail Order House of  
QUALITY and PROMPTNESS

## Southern States Whiskey

A fine Kentucky Bourbon bottled in bond, 4 full quarts \$4.00  
Express prepaid. Sold only in bottles.  
Old Sharp William Rye, (our leader) by the gal \$3.00 4 bottles \$3.50  
Geo J Coleman Rye, rich and mellow, by gallon 2.50 four bottles \$2.75  
Anvill Rye, a first class family whiskey, by the gal \$2.50 four bottles \$2.90  
Old Georgia Corn, direct from bonded warehouse, gallon 3.75, 4 bottles \$3.75  
Old Kentucky Corn, direct from bonded warehouse, gal 3.00 4 bottles 3.50  
Pioneer Club, a fine corn for the money, gallon 2.50 four bottles 2.90.  
We prepare express on all the above. Send for premium list and catalogue, mailed free. Address all correspondence to Dept C.

Altmyer-Flatau C Inc. Jacksonville, Fla.

## Very Low Excursion Rates

## ATLANTIC COAST LINE FROM ELBA TO

**\$13.90** To NEW ORLEANS, La., account annual session Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Tickets to be sold April 9, 10, 11, 12th, final limit returning April 25, 1910. Tickets may be extended to May 10th by depositing tickets with special Agent New Orleans not later than April 25th and by payment of a fee of \$1.00 at time of deposit.

**\$7.30** TO BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Account Alabama Educational Association. Tickets to be sold March 22, 23, and 24th, limited to return March 28th, 1910.

**\$9.70** TO MOBILE, Ala., account Alabama State Sunday School Association. Tickets to be sold March 22nd, and 23rd, and for trains scheduled to arrive in Mobile before 2:00 P. M. March 24th, limited to return March 20, 1910.

**\$2.45** TO DOTHAN, Ala., account Alabama State B. Y. P. U. Convention April 18th, 14th. Tickets to be sold April 12th and 13th, limited to return April 15th, 1910.

**\$12.85** TO MOBILE, Ala., account of Pharmaceutical Association and Alabama State Medical Association, April 19th-22nd. Tickets to be sold April 18th and 19th and for trains scheduled to arrive in Mobile before 2:00 p.m. April 20th. Limited to return April 23rd, 1910.

Corresponding low rates from other points. For full information see any agent of ATLANTIC COAST LINE, or write  
J. M. RHE, Div. Pres. Agent,  
Savannah, Ga.

No 6597. Report of the condition of

## The First National Bank of ELBA.

At Elba, in the State of Alabama,  
at the close of business, Mar 29, 1910.

**RESOURCES.**  
Loans and Discounts, \$190,288.02  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 7,619.88  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 50,000.00  
Premiums on U. S. Bonds, 500.00  
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures, 7,791.86  
Other real estate owned, \$150.00  
Due from National Banks, 8,358.14  
(not reserve assets)  
Due from State and Private Banks, Trust Companies and Savings Banks, 1,000.65  
Due from approved reserve agents, 38,677.55  
Checks and other cash items, 35.34  
Notes of other National Banks, 1,635.00  
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents, 188.44  
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:  
Specie, 8,462.30  
Legal Tender Notes, 3700.00  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury (5 per cent. of circulation), 2,500.00  
Total, \$326,207.28

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in, \$75,000.00  
Surplus Fund, 25,000.00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid, 42,302.20  
National Bank notes outstanding, 50,000.00  
Due to State and private banks and bankers, 804.48  
Individual deposits subject to check, 115,824.27  
Certified checks, 1,242.50  
Cashier's checks outstanding, 205.83  
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit and money borrowed, 15,800.00  
Total, \$326,207.28

State of Alabama, County of Coffee, ss:  
I, L. C. Powell, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. C. Powell, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of Apr. 1910.  
M. C. Russ, Notary Public.  
Correct—Attest: S. W. Boyd, Y. W. Corner, L. A. Roy & Directors.

# Farm Utensils!

We Have a Hardware Store; a sure enough hardware store in connection with our big general store, not just some hardware with other goods, but

## A COMPLETE STOCK.

We are headquarters for Farm utensils and farm hardware, fencing tools, plows, plow gear and everything the farmer needs. We buy in large quantities and we make you cheap prices, and can give you just what you want.

## Edwards Hardware Co.,

GENERAL MERCHANTS. ELBA, ALA.

# Just Received.

## A NEW SHIPMENT OF ELEGANT DRESS GOODS.

These goods are right up to NOW in style and fabrics, you want to see them at once. We also got with them a fine lot of laces and embroideries, which will attract you. This is the third time we have ordered spring dress goods: our first purchase was so attractive that they are already gone and being worn by the best dressed ladies of the county.

## Spring Millinery

We have a great line of millinery; pattern hats; hats to order; we can please you; we can please you; we WILL please you, or the hats or ours. Our hats and millinery department are in charge of a skilled and experienced milliner who knows how to fit styles, complexities, etc., thereby making hats harmonize with clothing and person. We can show you beyond peradventure that this is so, and we charge nothing extra for this fine service.

## A Word of Appreciation

We certainly appreciate the fine business that has been given to us by the trading public. Our business has been far greater than we had hoped for. We solicit a continuance of the patronage of those who have bought of us, and would like to get in touch with those who have not as yet learned what we can do for them.

## Vaughn & Kendrick,

Wise Brothers's old stand, ELDA, ALA.

## The Clipper \$1 A Year.

# INSURANCE, A. V. Buok,

Page Building, Elba, Alabama.

## Homestead Notice.

U. S. Land Office at Montgomery, Ala.  
March 29, 1910.  
Notice is hereby given that William R. Dannelley, of Elba, Ala., who, on Jan. 28, 1909, made P. 141, No. 04384, Receipt No. 1745, for N. 1/2 of the N. 1/2, Section 36, T. 29 S. 3 N., Range 10 E. St. Stephens, Meridian has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation. Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Elba, Ala., on the 28 day of May 1910. Claimant names as witnesses: Ewan Strickland, Bud Strickland, Canada Sanders, all of Opp, Ala., and Jasper M. Adams, of Elba, Ala.  
Nathan H. Alexander, Register.

# THE ELBA CLIPPER.

TWICE-A-WEEK.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

VOL. XIII.

ELBA, ALABAMA, TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910.

No 91

## Voting For State Senator.

Some Reasons To Help You Decide For Whom You'll Vote.

It is Crenshaw's time to elect a state senator; all the candidates are from Crenshaw. Which of them will you vote for? Some information about H. Y. Brooke may help you decide.

## WHO HE IS AND WHERE HE CAME FROM.

Mr. Brooke is of old Virginia stock, and is the great-grandson of the sister of John Marshall, the great chief justice of the United States. An ancestor fought in the revolutionary war; his father was a private soldier under Stonewall Jackson in the big war of the sixties. He came to Alabama in 1873, locating at Mobile. He is a trained newspaper man and his life and labors have since that time been devoted to public service.

## BROOKE'S NEWSPAPER WORK.

Mr. Brooke always stood by the people in his newspaper; he condemned wrong; he fought for fair play, and he fought for honesty among those in high position. To tell how many abuses and wrongs he was instrumental in correcting would make this article too long to read. He always had the proof, and he always succeeded in getting results that helped the people.

## SERVICE AS COMMITTEEMAN.

For twelve years H. Y. Brooke was chairman of the Crenshaw County Democratic Executive Committee; he did the hard work of that position, which pays not a cent, with such fairness and fidelity to a man with general commendation, and succeeded in bringing together in one political family the Democrats and Populists of Crenshaw.

## SERVICE TO FARMERS.

Mr. Brooke is not a farmer; he does not know how to make a living on a farm; he wishes he did; so he does not claim to be a farmer because he was raised on a farm and has since grown patches of farm stuff. But he has always been in close touch with the farmers, knows their needs, and hundreds of the farmers of his county are his warm friends, as they showed by their endorsement of him published in this paper. In the cotton season of 1904-5, when cotton dropped to 5 cents, he saw that the farmers would soon be ruined unless something was done. So, at his own expense he went out as field worker for the forces that were trying to get a fair price for cotton; he preached holding cotton from one end of the county to the other, being assigned the whole of the state; everybody knew that the efforts of these enthusiasts brought cotton back to ten cents in July. Brooke got no pay for his work—traveled at his own expense, and as a result his newspaper business suffered, and his loss in money was large. He has never for a minute regretted his course in this matter, for Brooke is one of those fellows that would rather help the public than to help himself.

## EXPERIENCE.

Mr. Brooke has done much public work, although he has never had a high paying office. As tax collector, as State Examiner of Public Accounts, he has learned the details of public offices, what is needed to cure defects and remedy wrongs and benefit the tax-payers; his work as State Examiner has made him one of the best known and esteemed men in the State. He was put in charge of the expenditures for the soldiers in the great strike in the Birmingham district two years ago, and by his hard work, his keen knowledge of men and law, it was generally conceded that he saved the tax-payers over twenty thousand dollars. In examining the books and work of State and County Officers, convict bureau, state colleges, and the like, Mr. Brooke has found a number of places where the laws need changes in order to safeguard the interests of the people, and he has been publishing in every paper in the district.

## BROOKE'S PLATFORM.

Mr. Brooke believes that candidates for representative and senator should tell the people what they stand for; so he was the first candidate, way back early in February, for one of those offices in this section to issue a platform, which platform you have read; it is short, and simple, and has been published in every paper in the district.

## BROOKE'S CANDIDOR.

Mr. Brooke does not promise all sorts of things to the people if he is elected. He knows the burdens of taxation, so perhaps no other man in the state does; he knows that big things cost big money. He knows that numerous laws breed contempt of law. So he favors few laws, and those plain and simple and enforced.

## NO ONE ISSUE.

Mr. Brooke was not in the state when

amendment question arose, being many miles away in a distant state examining for Alabama Insurance Department books of an insurance company to see if it handled Alabama people's insurance honestly; but Brooke did not dodge the question; two days before election he wrote the representatives of both sides in his home county how he would vote if at home. He was all the time against amendment, and said so. But he is not running on that or any other issue. He believes that there are many things in Alabama that are important to the people, and he will do his duty on each of them as it comes up.

## HONORABLE ENDORSEMENT.

From Crenshaw County comes the strongest sort of endorsement for Mr. Brooke. You have seen it in the papers, for it has been published in all papers of the district. It does not stop at town folks, but many of the best farmers from all over Crenshaw County, as well as many good town people, say Mr. Brooke is best man for years and are for him.

## OTHER QUALIFICATIONS.

Mr. Brooke is trained in legislative procedure; he knows parliamentary usage; he is highly educated; if occasion demands he can make a sound, sensible talk before a committee of the state senate. He knows the public men of the state in every county. He will have important committee places. His friends contend that his experience, his training, his patriotism, his ability and his honesty, make him the best man for senator.

## HIS CANVASS.

Mr. Brooke has not made an expensive canvass; he had no large means and the pay of the place is small—about five dollars a month for four years. He is ambitious to serve his people, and believes he can do so well and faithfully in Senate. Coffee, Pike and Crenshaw will have a Senator, one as well known and with as much influence as any district in the state if the people of the district choose H. Y. Brooke.

## Chief Justice.

Judge Nesmith of Birmingham, is a nice young man, and is said to be a bright young lawyer. Gov. Comer appointed him one of the Judges of the City Court of Birmingham, and we understand that he is doing well in that position. He is a young man of good sense and of bright prospects, but he is too youthful for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama.

Judge Dowdell was elected by the people of his district as Chancery Court Judge, was promoted by the people of the whole state to be Supreme Court Judge, and then succeeded Judge Tyson as Chief Justice of the Supreme Court.

He is in the prime of life, of mature years, of good understanding and ought to be given another term as Chief Justice.

Mr. Nesmith's time is not out at his present place, and he can afford to wait a few years before going on the Supreme Court Bench.

Diarrhoea should be cured without loss of time and by a medicine which like Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy not only cures promptly but produces no unpleasant after effects. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. Sold by All Drug-gists.

C. B. Smith is a plain and easy name. It is the name of the man who has been working in the Auditor's office for years. Everybody who knows anything about his work says he is a long, keen good one. He wants to be promoted. This county gave him a majority when he ran for Auditor four years ago and it ought to do so this time.

## K. B. Price

is recognized all over the United States as a talented and brainy man. He is fearless and honest, and well qualified for railroad commissioner. From all sections of the state comes news that he is running well. He bids fair to be elected. We ought, by all means, to vote for him strong here in his home county of Coffee.

## PRIMARY ELECTION.

Stewart Sheriff and Brock Clerk.

Saturday the Democratic Primary election was held. There was a fair turn-out, though not as many votes by nearly two hundred were cast as at the primary election in March. The election passed off quietly all over the county.

John D. Stewart won for Sheriff and S. Horace Brock for Clerk; each had a fine majority.

Below is a table of the unofficial result from nearly all the boxes, as far as we were able to get it.

	Brook	McIntire
Ball		
1	89	25
2	45	0
3	53	1
4	41	2
5	84	11
6	21	43
7	60	143
8-1	23	56
8-2	4	46
9-1-2	42	181
10-1	64	106
10-2	9	20
11	47	14
12	33	101
13	5	23
14	10	31
15	65	79
16	35	45
17	85	362
18	9	27
19	41	16
20	34	18
21	28	13
Total	1024	1378

## Coffee Cases in Spring Court.

The following Coffee County cases were decided by the Supreme Court last week:  
Miller-Brent Lumber Co. vs A. S. Douglas, et al., appeal from Coffee county circuit; reversed and remanded.

Standard Oil Co. vs J. T. Weeks, et al., appeal from Coffee county circuit; affirmed.

Kenneth Mcintosh vs Wm Cooper et al., appeal from Coffee chancery court; affirmed.

## Hon. D. H. Riddle.

(Communicated)

What the state papers and others have to say of D. H. Riddle as a candidate.

"There is no question as to his ability, and few lawyers in Alabama would make as good an Attorney-General. He is a man of high character and exceptional ability, and his candidacy has been endorsed by men in all the walks of life."—The Ga. News.

The following resolution was recently unanimously adopted by the Democratic Executive Committee of Clay County:

"Whereas, D. H. Riddle, of Coosa County, is a candidate for Attorney-General of Alabama, and

"Whereas, he was born and reared in Clay County, and is in every way eminently qualified and fitted for the discharge of the duties of the office to which he is a candidate;

"Whereas, he is the first Clay County man to offer for state office,

"Therefore, be it Resolved, by the Democratic Executive Committee, That we heartily endorse the candidacy of the Hon. D. H. Riddle of Coosa County for the office of Attorney-General of Alabama, and commend him to the voters of the State as entitled to their support."

A similar resolution was adopted by the Democratic Executive Committee of Coosa County.

"He is a lawyer of recognized ability, is of a high moral character, and is eminently fitted for the position he seeks.—Southern Democrat, Osnata, Alabama

## Dr. H. D. Boyd Dead.

Dr. H. D. Boyd died in Atlanta Sunday night at 8 o'clock. He had been ill for a number of months, in fact, had been in failing health for several years. In February he went to New York to undergo medical treatment, and was on his way home from there when the end came. His brother, Mr. Joe Boyd, was with him when the end came.

Dr. Boyd moved to Elba in 1908. He made friends on every hand. Active in church work, in fraternal circles and as a developer of the country, he was the very embodiment of service and industry. He was generous in the highest degree. For several years Dr. Boyd's health had been bad; but he went on doing the things that came before him, uncomplaining, cheerful and hopeful, when an ordinary man would have been in bed.

Dr. Boyd labored unceasingly for the development of Elba's water power, and those who are in a position to know say that a big development would have been secured before this had it not been for Dr. Boyd's health putting him in a sanitarium for months at a time, several times during the past few years.

Dr. Boyd was an active member of the Baptist Church, of Ancient Craft Masonry, and the Royal Arch Mason, a Knight of Pythias, being Past Chancellor of Riverside Lodge No. 150 and was a Charter member of Crockett Camp Woodman of the World. He leaves a devoted wife and three children.

The funeral will take place today at Troy, Ala., where the bodies of his parents are interred. A large party of Elbians will attend the funeral. In the death of this good man, whose life was so full of usefulness and service to others, whose usefulness was so great, it is hard to see the Divine hand, yet there remains but to drop the silent tear and say, "Thy will be done."

The Clipper joins with the host of friends, companions and brethren in extending condolence to the bereaved loved ones.

## Judge Nesmith A Winner.

(Communicated)

The Dixie Manufacturer, Birmingham, Ala., Says:

"After a thorough canvass of the State and full information from the various counties the friends of Judge Nesmith, candidate for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Alabama, feel fully satisfied that he will be overwhelmingly elected for that position in the primary election on May 2nd. Judge Nesmith has been endorsed by over 150 members of the Jefferson County Bar, by 40 odd members of the Mobile Bar, and also the Bars of Lamar, Walker, Morgan, Madison, Calhoun, Franklin Counties. He has also received the unanimous endorsement of the Jefferson County Democratic Executive Committee."

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## CYRUS BROWN ENDORSED.

News Gatherers at Capitol Are His Friends.

Speak of Efficiency for the Office of Secretary of State and of Value to State at Large.

The working newspaper men make, or have made daily rounds of the State Capitol in search of news, commend Hon. Cyrus B. Brown as one eminently fitted by capacity, energy and information, to fill the office of Secretary of State. He has no more loyal wishers, no more enthusiastic supporters than the men who have not him in the course of their newspaper duties and have had those duties make easier by his efficiency and courtesy. They feel justified in saying that Mr. Brown, as chief clerk in the office of the Secretary of State, is one of the most efficient men that has served Alabama at the State Capitol in recent years.

Mr. Brown is a type of the able energetic young Alabamians who are destined to reflect honor to the State and to contribute much to its progress. He is thoroughly versed in the multitudinous details of the office of the Secretary of State. In fact his knowledge has astonished those men who are daily brought in touch with him. We consider that such men as Cy. Brown are needed by the State and therefore our endorsement of his candidacy.

(Signed.) Atkins Mullin and B. R. Norman, of The Birmingham Ledger; Leon W. Friedman, Alvin Roberts of The Birmingham News and Hugh W. Roberts, of The Birmingham Age-Herald; Tarleton Collier and C. A. Var Beck of The Montgomery Advertiser; Harvey W. Laird, B. G. Betty, Louis Sherman and Jack Lewis, of The Montgomery Journal, Charles L. Harrold, formerly of The Mont-Advertiser, now practicing law, Gil Edge, cartoonist Montgomery Advertiser.

## WHO KNEW HIM?

Postmaster Mullins is in receipt of the following letter.

Castleberry, Connecuh Co., Ala.  
April 18, 1910.  
To Postmaster, Elba, Coffee County, Ala.

My Dear Sir:  
I write this to you and to all whom it may concern to inform you that there is a lonely grave, a Confederate Soldier's grave, about two miles south of the Castleberry on the east side of the L. & N. R. R. I do not know the name of the soldier. He belonged to Farcloth's Co. S. of Elba, Coffee County, and died on cars that were detained by high water while removing the sick soldiers from New Orleans Hospital to Hospital in Greenville, Ala. I think in 1864 or 1865. I am getting old and soon there will be no one to tell the story. You will please try to ascertain who he was. You might hand this to the Editor of your County paper. By doing so you might confer a kindness to a relative, comrade or friend.

Yours respectfully,  
(Signed) J. A. T. Baggett.

Any one who knows this unknown soldier was should write Mr. Baggett.

Are you frequently hoarse? Do you have that annoying tickle in your throat? Do you cough annoy you at night, and do you raise much in the morning? Do you want relief? If so, take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and you will be pleased. Sold by All Dealers.

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